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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/03/2004
- English Translation of the IA filed on 09/03/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/03/2004
- Copy of Article 19 Amendments filed on 09/03/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/03/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/03/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/03/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/03/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- The Article 19 amendments are canceled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 30 (37 CFR 1.495(d)) months from the priority date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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